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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/03/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 10/03/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/03/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/03/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/03/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/03/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/03/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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(Case No. 05-834)

In the Application of:)	
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I.A. Filing Date: April 2, 2004)	
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For: Paint Based On At Least One Polymer)	
Dispersion and Method for Application of)	
the Paint)	

**RESPONSE TO THE NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35
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MAILED AUGUST 29, 2006**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice mailed August 29, 2006, enclosed please find a Notification of Missing Requirements and Declaration and Power of Attorney documents.

Please charge Deposit Account, No. 13-2490 in the amount of \$130.00 for the Declaration and Power of Attorney surcharge.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 5, 2006

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